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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d), (continued prosecution application (CPA) of prior application number 09/020,716, filed on February 9, 1998, entitled Alteration of Amino Acid Compositions in Seeds).

1. ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
2. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d)(4).
  - a. ☐ **DELETE** the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:
   
  
 b. ☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.
  4. ☐ A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.
  5. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:
    - a. ☒ PTO-1449
    - b. ☒ Copies of IDS Citations

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 02 FC:102  
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CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c) or (j))	21 - 20* =	1	x \$ 18.00 =	\$ 18.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b) OR (l))	4 - 3** =	1	x \$ 78.00 =	78.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ \$260.00 =	
				BASIC FEE (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)	\$690.00
	Total of above Calculations =				\$786.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)				
	* Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent ** Reissue independent claims over original patent				TOTAL = \$786.00

6. Small entity status:

- a. ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed, if (b) and (c) do not apply.  
b. ☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.  
c. ☐ Is no longer claimed.

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- a. ☒ Fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16  
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9. ☒ New Attorney Docket Number, if desired: 0815A

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b. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard.

11. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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11. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED

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